Annual Statistical Overview - Complaints Against Police Employees

	2012	2011	2010	2009	Note
Total Internal Investigations	77	105	79	96	а
Sustained Complaints (All)	52 **	<i>7</i> 8	47	71	b
Formal Citizen Complaints	25	31	28	31	С
Sustained - Conduct Toward Citizens, etc.	5	4	4	3	d
Police Calls for Service	47,988	50,489	51,182	<i>52,778</i>	е
Criminal Arrests Made	5006	5511	6200	7021	f

Footnotes:

- ** some 2012 cases not complete yet.
- a **Total Investigations** includes all formal investigations and inquiries into the conduct of Police employees, both sworn and non-sworn, and does not include the routine review of the use of force unless a complaint of excessive force is made.
- b Sustained Complaints (All) reflects findings of policy violations, not necessarily the original allegations in the case.
- c Formal Citizen Complaints reflects the number of complaints brought from persons or groups outside the Police Department.
- d Sustained Conduct Toward Citizens, etc. includes allegations of rudeness, lack of courtesy or treatment of others, excessive force, biased policing, and harassment.
- e Police Calls for Service reflects the total number of calls where officers responded.
- f Criminal Arrests Made includes adults arrested and juveniles charged with crimes.

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